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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For (title): STENT

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**1. Type of Application**

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

**2. Papers Enclosed**

**A.** Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

19 Page(s) of Specification

3 Page(s) of Claims

10 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal

**B.** Other Papers Enclosed

1 Page(s) of abstract

**3. Declaration or Oath**

Not Enclosed.

Application is made by a person authorized under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.41(c) on behalf of all of the above-named inventors.

**4. Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

**5. Language**

English

**6. Assignment**

An assignment of the invention to BIOTRONIK Mess- und Therapiegeraete GmbH & Co. Ingenieurbuero Berlin will follow.

7. **Certified Copy**

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Germany	100 12 460.7	03/15/2000

from which priority is claimed will follow.

8. **Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)**

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$710.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	10	- 20 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	2	- 3 =	0 x	\$80.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	\$270.00

Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time.

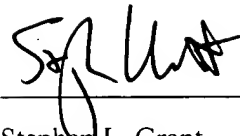
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**9. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

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